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Recycling - Do your part



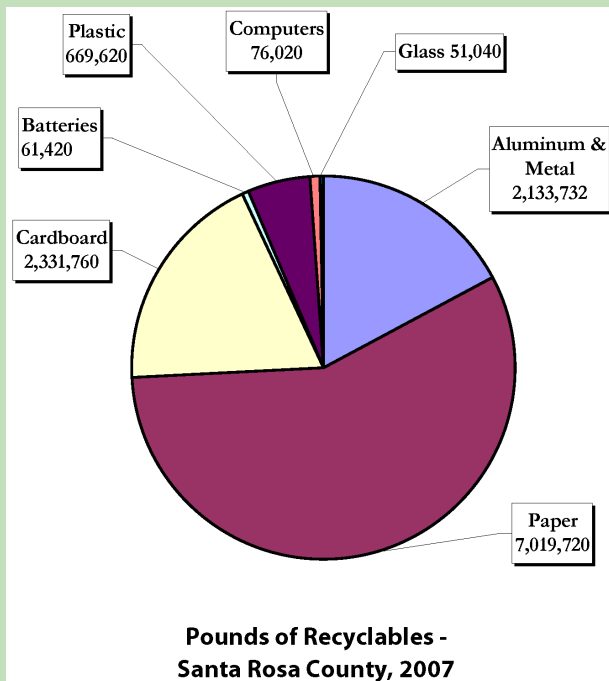
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Recycling

Our Recycling Program

The State of Florida requires local governments to make recycling available to residents. Here in Santa Rosa County, we do our part to reduce waste and recycle as many materials as we can. At the Central Landfill facility, we prepare and ship recyclable materials that are brought in or collected from containers in the area. In 2007, we processed and shipped more than 6,171 tons of materials.



Items You Can Recycle

Paper products, glass jars and bottles, metal cans and most plastics can be dropped off at any of our recycling locations. Many other items can be brought to our Central Landfill processing center (off Da Lisa Road) in Milton. These items include:

- Car, boat, and other large batteries
- Tires (limitations and fees apply; call for details)
- Large metal appliances (washers, refrigerators, etc.)
- Computers, cellular phones, TVs
- Plastic shopping bags (please tie them in a knot)
- Used oil (bring to Central Landfill facility)
- Paint (residential only - no commercial quantities)

Non-recyclable Items

We cannot process certain materials. These include:

- Styrofoam
- Large plastic buckets
- Food contaminated items (pizza boxes, etc.)
- Motor oil containers
- Aluminum foil and sheet metal
- Cardboard is recyclable, but it must stay dry.

Recycling Benefits

While recycling operations do not operate at a profit for the county, keeping these materials out of the landfill and conserving natural resources gives benefits for the environment and for future generations.



Please keep container areas clean and free of trash.

Recycling Locations

Listed here are 29 recycling locations in Santa Rosa County. The county Web site www.santarosa.fl.gov/recycle has maps showing the location of our drop sites and lists the materials that are accepted. Check to see which items are accepted at your location and bring only those items. Leaving trash is considered illegal dumping and can result in a \$500 fine.

Tiger Point

Gulf Power Engineering Office,
Highway 98 - Oriole Beach

Tiger Point Recreation Area,
East of new Wal-mart

Midway

The Zoo

Santa Rosa County South Service Center
Highway 98, east of zoo

New Hope Ministries,
New Hope Road

Navarre

West Navarre Intermediate School
(at the running track; school hours only)

Navarre Beach Water and Sewer Office
1411 Utility Dr.

Milton

Six Flags Shopping Center

Clean Community Service
Park Ave.

East Milton Recreation Park
Bobby Brown Road

Central Landfill
Central Landfill Dr. at Da Lisa Rd.
(container is at gate)

Whiting Pines
U.S. Navy Housing, Berryhill Rd.
(Military Only)

KOA Campground
Highway 87 at I-10



Preparing paper for shipment at Central Landfill



Containers are clearly marked; please place the correct items in each container.

Several trash service providers now offer curbside recycling. Please check with your provider to see if this is available in your area.

**Santa Rosa County Recycling Dept.
3880 Central Landfill Dr.
Milton, FL 32583**

**850-939-1512 or 850-981-7135
Hours: Mon. - Fri. 6:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
www.santarosa.fl.gov/recycle/index.html**

Pace

Chumuckla Ballpark
Roy Cook Rd.

Five Points Intersection
Quintette Road

Simmons Road
Across from Gaines Auto

Gulf Power Substation
East Spencerfield Road at Highway 90

Sterling Fibers
Parking lot at end of Bell Lane

Woodbine Road
Across from Pace water office

Jay and Fidelis

Jay High School (north parking lot)

Scott's Furniture
North side of Highway 4

Fidelis Community Center
South side of Fidelis School

Jay Transfer Station

Munson
(between fire station and forestry office)

Central High School
(south side of school)

Smith Tractor (on Highway 4)

NAS Whiting Field

South Field

Supply

Navy Exchange West (cardboard only)